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For: DEVICE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT AFFORDS
OCCUPANT PROTECTION DURING THE IMPACT
OF ENERGY DIRECTED AGAINST A MOTOR
VEHICLE DOOR AS A RESULT OF A COLLISION

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198 39 519 A1, 196 33 637 A1 which were cited in a German Patent Office report.

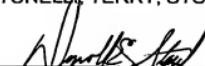
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Also submitted is German Patent DE 41 25 299 C2 which is discussed in the
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